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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORDON, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Welbeck Street, W. SAMUEL DRACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

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AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.

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SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINZEN & Co., Manila.

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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, 2,100,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
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LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, March 22, 1882.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £3,200,000.
RESERVE FUND, £800,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE BELLEVERE, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:

LONDON, BOULBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLE, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHEW, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.
Messrs C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

F. COCHINARD, Agent, Hongkong.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per Annum.
" 6 " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. FRANCIS BLACKWELL FORBES in our Firm, CRASSED on the 31st December, 1881.

RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong and China, 20th April, 1882. my26

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOCHE & Co., of Warrington, near BIRMINGHAM.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, August 13, 1881. 13a82

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

WE Have been appointed Agents for the MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA, of Tokio, at this Port.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

DURING my Absence from Hongkong Mr. C. A. SCHULTZ will be in CHARGE of the Company's Office.

A. SUENSON, Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 11, 1882. my18

GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

I HAVE This Day taken CHARGE of the Company's Office.

C. A. SCHULTZ.
Hongkong, May 11, 1882. my18

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has Admitted Mr. M. L. SALAMON into PARTNERSHIP from this date, and the Business in future will be Conducted under the Style of "HOLMES & SALAMON."

(Signed) GEORGE HOLMES.
Queen's Road Central, 1st May, 1882. jel

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. CHARLES KAHN in our Firm CRASSED on the 30th April, 1882.

REISS & Co.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1882. aul

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THE Undersigned in the Firm of Messrs D. D. OLIVA & Co., of Amoy, Foochow, Takao and Taiwan, has CEASED from the 30th of April, 1882.

E. N. MEHTA, B. S. MEHTA.

WE HAVE This Day commenced BUSINESS as MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS at Amoy, Foochow and Taiwan, under the Style and Firm of "MEHTA & Co."

E. N. MEHTA, B. S. MEHTA.
Hongkong, May 1, 1882. jel

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

MESSRS W. & J. LOCKETT'S Celebrated BRANDS, THEREAFTER'S EXPORT PALE ALE, and FINEST LAGER BEER, DUBLIN STOUT in Pints and Quarts.

Also, SILLERY MOUSSESAUX (VIN DE CHAMPAGNE), in Cases 2 dozen Pints and 1 dozen Quarts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)
WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, \$17 per 1 doz. Case.
Pints, \$18 per 2 doz. "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

To Let.

TO LET.

COMMODOUS OFFICES and Commodions QUARTERS, &c., with or without GODOWNS, in Peddar's Wharf Buildings, at present in the occupation of Messrs HESS & Co. View of the Harbour. Possession to be had from the 1st May next.

Apply to G. R. LAMBERT.
Hongkong, April 5, 1882.

GODOWNS-TO LET.

PRAYA EAST AND WANOHAI ROAD. For Particulars, apply to

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

TO BE LET-FURNISHED.

(WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.)

1, "WEST VILLAS,"

For Particulars, apply to

MR. R. G. ALFORD, Surveyor, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, May 10, 1882.

TO LET.

(Wang Possession on the 1st May.)

THE New FAMILY RESIDENCE situated next to Excelsior on Robinson Road, replete with every convenience, TENNIS LAWN, STABLES, &c.

Also, 3 FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS of all Sizes—Water-side. Inspection is invited.

Apply to

SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON.
Hongkong, April 3, 1882.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

CLARETS—

From a SOUND WINE at \$3.50, to CHATEAU LAFITE.

SHERRIES—

A PALE DRY WINE at \$8, to Very Choice AMONTILLADO.

PORTS—

Good WINE at \$8.50, to Old INVALID PORT.

HOCKS—

STILL and SPARKLING.

BURGUNDIES—

BAUNE and CHAMBERTIN.

CHABLIS.

SAUTERNE.

CHAMPAGNES.

MOSELE.

Hongkong, May 15, 1882. jel5

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., HONGKONG.

ON VIEW AT OUR STORE:—

A Choice Collection of

MODERN ARTISTIC FURNITURE,

In SOLID ENGLISH, ITALIAN, AMERICAN BLACK WALNUT, MAHOGANY, and other Choice Foreign Woods,

OF SOUND CONSTRUCTION, EXCELLENT FINISH,

And

Moderate Price,

SUITABLE FOR THE

DRAWING ROOM, BOUDOIR, DINING ROOM, LIBRARY, and

BED ROOM.

With Elegant Curtain Materials, Wall Papers, Dados, Furniture Coverings, Carpets, &c., En Suite.

Manufactured by

HALL & HOLTZ, SHANGHAI.

Mr. Byrne, from Messrs. Hall & Holtz, being on a visit to Hongkong, will be happy to give any information relating to the above.

Hongkong, May 11, 1882.

To Let.

TO BE LET.

THE FRONT PORTION of PREMISES formerly occupied by the late E. CHARTER & Co., 15, QUEEN'S ROAD. Suitable for either One or Two OFFICES or a Store.

Apply to HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

TO LET.

NOS. 4 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE, Nos. 2 and 4, PEDDAR'S WHARF.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, May 3, 1882.

TO LET.

(WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.)

THE HOUSE known as "PARADE VILLA," ROBINSON ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to G. R. LAMBERT, Peddar's Wharf.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

Intimations.

TAKASIMA COILLERY.

THE Undersigned has been appointed AGENT for the SALE of the above COALS at Hongkong, from and after this date.

H. J. H. TRIPP, Mitsui Bishi Mail S. S. Co.

Hongkong, April 26, 1882. oc27

THE "FAR EAST."

THE ISSUES of 1878 WANTED. Apply at this Office.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Intimations.

COLONEL IRE AUSTIN'S NEW AMERICAN RIFLE RANGE, BOWLING ALLEY, HONGKONG HOTEL, OPEN ON MONDAY, MAY 1st, 1882.

BELL TARGETS, FLYING AND STATIONARY BIRDS, &c., &c.

Popular Prices:

FOUR SHOTS for.....25 Cents.

Gallery open daily from 4 to 12 p.m., to all respectable Members of the Community.

Hongkong, April 29, 1882.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

COMMENCING with the Departure of the "ANADYR" from this Port on the 1st JUNE NEXT, the Steamers of this Company will call at COLOMBO only, and not at GALLE, as heretofore.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, May 12, 1882. my26

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A First Interim BONUS of TWENTY-FIVE per cent. upon Contributions, and an Interim DIVIDEND of ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY-TWO DOLLARS per Share for the year 1881, will be Payable on FRIDAY, the 12th Instant.

Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board, DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, May 5, 1882.

Intimations.

TOK KEE, COAL-MERCHANT.

33, WING HING LANE, HONGKONG.

KEEPS on hand for Sale all Kinds of Steam Coal of the best quality, at moderate rate; also has always Powerful STEAM LAUNCHES for Hire at a reasonable Charge, either for special Purposes, Excursions, or Towing.

Hongkong, January 13, 1882. jyl3

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on all DOCUMENTARY BILLS delivered to the Undersigned Bank, on or after 1st JULY 1882, the Rate of Discount, not exceeding five per cent. per annum, which will be allowed to the Drawees or Acceptors, on returning the Bills before maturity, will be as follows:—

At one half per cent. per annum above the advertised Rate of Interest for short Deposits allowed by the leading London Joint Stock Banks, if the Bills are taken up in Great Britain.

At the Current Minimum Rate of Discount of the National Bank of France, Italy, Belgium and Germany, respectively, if taken up in either of those countries.

At the Current Rate of Rebate for Documentary Bills, if taken up in Switzerland or the United States.

At the Current Rate of Rebate allowed by the Exchange Banks, if taken up at any place east of Suez.

For the "Oriental Bank Corporation," A. WEMYSS, p. Manager.

For the "Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China," JOHN THURBURN, Manager.

For the "Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China," WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

For the "Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation," G. E. NOBLE, p. Chief Manager.

For the "Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris," F. COCHINARD, Agent.

Hongkong, May 9, 1882.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

The Steamship "Douglas," Capt. S. AUSTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Inst., at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1882. my17

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT.)

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Fookang," Capt. G. O. ANDERSON, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 15, 1882. my17

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Steamship "Fookang," Capt. A. B. MACY, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 18th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1882. my17

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "Aviation Agent," Capt. A. B. MACY, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 18th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 11, 1882. my18

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Company's Chartered Steamship "Mowry," Capt. Wm. TAYLOR, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 18th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 11, 1882. my18

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "Sumatra," will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, 19th May, at 4 p.m.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, May 10, 1882. my19

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Jason," Capt. J. J. JAMES, will be despatched on or about the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, May 9, 1882.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship "Pello," Commandant CHAMPEAUX, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, May 12, 1882.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship "Tanais," Commandant DUBOIS, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, May 12, 1882.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship "Tan

For Sale.

MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.

HAVE REMOVED
to their
NEW AND EXTENSIVE
PREMISES,
No. 53, Queen's Road East
(OPPOSITE THE COMMISARIAT),
WHERE they have special facilities for
conducting their Town and Harbour
Business, and trust to merit a continuance
of Public Confidence and Support.

A FULL STOCK OF STORES,
WINES, &c.,
ALWAYS ON HAND.—INCLUDING:

FRESH YORK HAMS—
CHRISTMAS CAKES.
TRYSONAU'S DESSERT FRUITS.
ALMONDS and RAISINS.
PICNIC TONGUES.
COCOATINA.
VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.
LEBON'S & EYE'S COCOA.
FRENCH PLUMS.
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.
MINCEMEAT.
CHOCOLATE—MENIER.
SAUSAGES.
BRAWN.

ISIGNY BUTTER.
DANISH BUTTER.
BREAKFAST TONGUES.
ANCHOVES.
ASPARAGUS.
SOUPS, &c.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

CHAMPAGNES—
HEDERSON'S MONOPOL & WHITE
SEAL.
YVONNE CLUQUOT PONSARDIN.
JULES MUMM & Co., pils & quarts.

CLARETS.

CHATEAU MARGAUX.
CHATEAU LA ROSE, pils & quarts.
CHATEAU LATITE.
GRES. GRAVES.
BREAKFAST CLARET.

SHERRIES & PORT.

SACONNE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-
TILLADO.
SACONNE'S OLD INVALID PORT
(1848).
HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.

1, 2 & 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.
BISQUIT DUBOIS & Co.'s BRANDY.
FIVE OLD BOURBON WHISKY.
KINAH'S LL WHISKY.
ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.
CHARTREUSE.
MARASCHINO.
GURACAO.
ANGOSTURA.
Bosque's and ORANGE BITTERS.
&c., &c., &c.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and

SACONNE'S, pils and quarts.
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &
J. BIRKE, pils and quarts.
PILSENER BEER, in quarts.
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the
Gallon.
ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.

TOPOCAN BUTTER.

Eastern and Californian CHEESE.
Bosque's GODFISH.
Prime HAMS and BACON.
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.
Peach and APPLE BUTTER.
PICKLED OX-TONGUE.
Family PIG-PORK in kegs and pieces.
Paragon MACKEREL in 5 lb cans.
Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.
Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 2 1/2 lb cans.
Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.
Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage
MEAT.
Stuffed PEPPERS.
AMERICAN PICKLES.
MINCEMEAT.

COMB HONEY in Original Frames.

Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted
MEATS.
Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS.
McCarty's Sugar LEMONADE.
Clam CHOWDER.
Smoked SALMON.
Green TURTLE in 2 1/2 lb cans.
&c., &c., &c.

YACHT & PICNIC SUPPLIES.

CALIFORNIA

RACKER

COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb

tins, and loose.
Alphabetical BIS-
CUITS.
Fancy Sweet Mixed
BISCUITS.
Ginger CAKES.
Soda BISCUITS.
Oyster BISCUITS.

Cracked WHEAT.

OATMEAL

HOMINY.

CORNMEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.

RYE MEAL.

SPECIALLY SELECTED

CIGARS.

Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in

5 and 10 catty boxes.
BREAKFAST CONGO @ 25 cents p. lb.
SEASIDE LIBRARY, 15 to 25 cents.
FRANKLIN SQUARE LIBRARY, 15 to
25 cents.
MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF
SAVES, and CASH BOXES, at
Manufacturer's Prices.
FAIRBANKS SCALES.
OAKUM.
TAR.
TURPENTINE.
PAINTS and OILS.
Hongkong, May 15, 1882.

Entertainment.



Will Exhibit at BOWMISTON, Hongkong,
near the Canal, commencing on or about

THURSDAY, May 18th.

CHIARINI'S ROYAL ITALIAN

CIRCUS

PERFORMING ANIMALS!

Will exhibit under MAMMOTH TENTS,
FOR A SHORT SEASON ONLY.
The Largest Spectacle of Circus ever seen
in this Hemisphere. Starting accom-
panied by 5,000 People.

THE GRANDTEST RING PAGEANT

ON EARTH!

The Biggest and Best Show
ever in this Country!

THE CHIEFS and MENAGERIE ENLARGED,
Improved and Enriched to such
a degree as to be almost beyond
recognition.

FAMOUS ARTISTS.

Fresh from the Leading Circuses
and Hippodromes of Europe and America,
in conjunction with the old
favourites,
who will introduce all the
Latest and Most Striking Marvels of the
EQUESTRIAN, ACROBATIC, and
GYMNASTIC ARTS.

MISS NELLIE REID,

ENGLAND'S STAR-SINGER QUEEN, from
HENDERSON'S GREAT CIRCUS, LONDON,
ENGLAND.

MISS EMILY ROLANDE,

The Fearless Rider and Graceful
Pantomimist,
In her Charming Principal Act and
Specialties.

MISS ADA STODOLY,

The Charming Little Fairy Equestrienne,
In her Spectacular and Amazing Feats.

MILIE LOTTA,

The Lady with the Iron Jaw, will perform
Prodigious Feats of Marvellous Strength,
Firing off, with her Teeth, a Brass
Cannon weighing 175 lbs., and con-
taining with her Ventrals, a light
across the Chinese Great Par-
tion, suspended only by her
Teeth.

MILIE ZAZO,

The Beautiful and Superb Young Lady
Gymnast and Acrobat.

LAVATER LEE,

From Farnham's Menagerie Museum
and Circus.—The Darling Somersault
Equilibrium, in his unrivalled performance
on a Bare-backed Horse, introducing Pi-
rottes, Barbed and Forward Somersaults.

MR. FRID WATSON,

Principal Rider and Comic Change Artist.

MASTER CHARLIE WATSON,

In his Champion Hurdle Act, also Tumb-
ling and Contortion Acts.

MR. CHARLES STODOLY,

The Famous Bare-back Rider and Voltigeur.
(5 in number).

THE FAIR-PAINT FAMILY,

First Class Artists.—From the Paris Hip-
podrome.—The Cream of the Acrobatic
Profession who stand unrivalled in their
most intricate Evolutions (of the Pantom-
imic School).

Also Musical Clowns in Fantastic Varieties,

introducing the Smallest Violinist in
the World.—Master EUGENE.

FRENCH AND ANGELO,

Leading Horizontal Bar and Trapeze Per-
formers, Hot Throwers and Knock-about
Clowns from the Folies Bergere, Paris.

MILIE JEANNE (OXY 5 YEARS OF AGE),

on the Flying Rings.

ROSA THUZET & PROF. THUZET,

The Celebrated French Gymnast and
Equilibriumists, winners of Prize Medals in
all the Principal Theatres and Circles in
Europe, in their Sensational and Grand Per-
formances.

THE MOTLEY MERRY-MAKER,

HENRY AUGUST LEHMAN,
Recently of Van Amburgh's American
Show, in his Comic and Extravagant Vari-
eties.

SINOR GIUSEPPE CHIARINI,

The King of Horse-Trainers, will in-
troduce his FEATHERS SIDE of TRAINED
Horses, whose UNRIVALLED PERFORMANCES
have been the Wonder and Admiration of
the WHOLE WORLD, and have won for their
Owner and Educator, SINOR CHIARINI,
numerous Medals and costly Gifts from
Princes and Emperors of the Nobility of
every country in Europe, in token of their
appreciation of his wonderful skill, and
the intelligence and docility of his superb
horses.

PROF. LORENZ JOHNSON,

The Fairness Tiger-Trainer, will enter the
Den of

Performing Royal Bengal Tigers!

In the Menagerie Department will be
found

An Educated Zebra from Africa. A South
American Gazelle. A Black Bear from the
Himalaya Mountains. A Black Tiger from
the Jungles of Central India. Two Ele-
phants from Ceylon. Royal Baby Tigers only
a few weeks old. A Kangaroo, the Won-
derful Animal of Australia. Various spe-
cies of Monkeys, Apes and Baboons, that
are Educated to Imitate the Beautiful Lil-
liputian Showmen in a Steeple Chase.
N.B.—All the animals may be seen in
the Menagerie Tent, before entering the
Mammoth Circus which seats 5000 people.

PRICES OF ADMISSION WILL BE DULY AS-
SIGNED IN THE NEWSPAPERS AND
BY HAND-BILLS.

THIS COMPANY WILL PERFORM

EVERY NIGHT.

Doors open at 8 o'clock.—Performance to
commence at 9 punctually.

And on

WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY, AFTERNOON
PERFORMANCES.

Doors open at 3 o'clock.—Performance to
commence at 4.

FRANK G. WILSON,
Adm. Agent.

Hongkong, May 11, 1882.

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL.—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be
received, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on
first class lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE IN-

SURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1805.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, they are
prepared to issue Policies of Insurance
against FIRE on the usual Terms.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE IN-

SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. PAID-UP, £200,000.
PAID-UP RESERVE FUND, £50,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, they are
prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against
FIRE at Current Rates.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,
Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling).
Unallocated Liability of Shareholders.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, they are
prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against
FIRE at Current Rates.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,
Hongkong, July 1, 1881.

THE TOKIO MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE MITSU BISHI MAIL S. S. CO.
having been appointed Agents for
the above Company, the Undersigned
is prepared to ACCEPT MARINE RISKS at
Current Rates and usual Discounts.

H. J. H. TRIPP,
Agent, M. B. M. S. S. Co.,
Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY OF

MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling
of which is paid up £ 100,000
Reserve Fund of £ 120,000
Annual Income £ 250,000

THE Undersigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
Insurances at current rates.

HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Hongkong, October 16, 1880.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF
His Majesty King George The Third,
A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—
Marine Department.
Policies at current rates, payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates.

Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Hongkong, July 25, 1882.

YANGTSE INSURANCE

ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....£2,400,000.00
PERMANENT RESERVE.....£2,200,000.00
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....£2,200,000.00

TOTAL CAPITAL AND AC-
CUMULATIONS, 6th
April, 1882.....£9,400,000.00

Directors.
H. DE C. FORBES, Esq., Chairman,
J. H. PINCKYSS, Esq., W. MEYERINK,
Esq., A. J. M. INVERARITY, Esq., G. H. WHEELER,
Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.
Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH:
Messrs BARKING BROTHERS & Co.,
Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,
68 and 69, Cornhill.

Policies granted on Royal Risks to all
parts of the World.

Subject to a Charge of 12 1/2 % for Interest
on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits
of the Underwriting BUSINESS are an-
nually distributed among all Contributors
of Business (whether Shareholders or not)
in proportion to the Premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 8, 1882.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above
Company, are authorized to insure
against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.,
Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept
Risks on First Class Godowns at 1
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Glenfinlas* having arrived
from the above Ports, Consignees
of Cargo are hereby informed that their
Goods—with the exception of Opium—are
being landed at their risk into the Godowns
of the Undersigned, whence and/or from
the Wharves or Boats delivered may be ob-
tained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before
1 p.m. To-day, the 12th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the
12th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Hongkong, May 12, 1882.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo
are requested to send in their Bills of
Lading to the Undersigned for counter-
signature, and take immediate delivery.
This Cargo has been landed and stored at
their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

By Order,
S. H. S. (in duty), No. 1076—1 case Perfum-
G. P. ery, Or, fr. M'selles.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

Intimations.

Tenth Volume of the

"CHINA REVIEW."

Now Ready.

No. 5.—Vol. X.
—OF THE—

"CHINA REVIEW"

CONTAINS—

A Journey in North Szechuan.
Notes on Chinese Porcelain.
Canton Sylhary.
On the Chinese Calendar.
Sui-Lang's Visit to His Mother.
Notes of New Books and Literary Intel-
ligence.
Notes and Queries—
Dragon or Crocodile.
Porcelain Churn.
Spelling and Pronunciation.
The Chinese System.
A Chinese Exposition of the Four Tones.
A Strange Story.
Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.
Hongkong, May 12, 1882.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail.

(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE
IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely-
printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from
the Daily *China Mail*, is published
twice a month on the morning of the
English Mail departure, and is a re-
cord of each fortnight's current history
of events in China and Japan, con-
tributed in original reports and collected
from the journals published at the various
ports in those Countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai,
Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete
Commercial Summary.

Subscription, 60 cents per Copy (postage
paid 25 cents.) \$12 per annum (postage
paid \$12.50.)

Orders should be sent to GEO. MURRAY
BAIN, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham
Street, not later than noon of the day the
English Mail Steamer leaves.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily
China Mail.

SAILORS HOME.

ANY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or
PARCELS will be thankfully received
at the Sailor's Home, West Point.
Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

To-day's Advertisements.

SUPREME COURT.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the JURY
MEN and WITNESSES summoned
for the 18th Instant, need not attend on
that day, but on MONDAY, the 22nd
Instant, at 10 a.m., precisely.

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Registrar.

Hongkong, May 16, 1882.

TO LET.

(Possession on 1st JUNE NEXT.)

THE FIRST FLOOR, West Side, of
MARINE HOUSE, No. 15, QUEEN'S
ROAD. Now in the occupation of Messrs
WILSON & BIRD.

Apply to E. R. BELLIOS.

Hongkong, May 10, 1882.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COM-

PANY.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second DIVIDEND for the Year
1881, being an interim Return to
contributing Shareholders of TWENTY PER
CENT. (25 %) on Net Profit for that
year, is now Declared, in accordance with
the Resolution passed at the Ordinary
General Meeting of the Company held on
the 14th ultimo.

Warrants will be issued in due course,
Payable at the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI
BANK on and after MONDAY, the 8th Inst.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
HERBERT S. MORRIS,
Secretary.

Shanghai, 2nd May, 1882.

To-day's Advertisements.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship
"William Macdonald,"
Captain P. ORTLE, will
be despatched for the
above Ports TO-MORROW, the 17th Inst.,
at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 16, 1882.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship
"Perania,"
Captain NAGEL, will be
despatched for the above
Port TO-MORROW, the 17th Instant, at
2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 16, 18

Mails.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.
STEAM FOR
SAIGON, STAMBOUL, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, SYRIAN PORTS, NAPLES,
MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF
BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;
PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA
AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON THURSDAY, the 18th day of May, 1882, at Noon, the Company's S. S. O. U. S. Commandant RAFAEL, with MAILED, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above place.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marcellis, and accepted in transit through Marcellis for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 17th May, 1882.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 17th May, 1882. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, May 9, 1882. my18

U. S. MAIL-LINE.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF TOKIO will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 20th May, 1882, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

On prepaid RETURN Passage Tickets a Reduction of 25 % is made.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. on the 19th May. Parcels Packages will be received at the office until 4 p.m., same day; all Parcels Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Office in San Francisco, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 6, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER, Gen. Agent for China & Japan.
Hongkong, May 13, 1882. my20

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON.

AND
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.E.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, LONDON, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship VERONA, Captain Ashdown, with Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched from this Port for LONDON, via BOMBAY, and SUEZ CANAL, on FRIDAY, the 26th May, 1882, at Daylight.

Cargo will be received on board until Noon on the day previous.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until Noon on the day previous.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Point de Galle; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Galle.

For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 12, 1882. my26

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE.

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

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Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full, and name will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

A Reduction of 25 % made on all RETURN Passage Orders issued.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Office addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR., Agent.
Hongkong, May 10, 1882. my31

Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a VISITORS' COLUMN, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened a SELECTED HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

List of Public Buildings.

Government House, North of Public Gardens.
City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum.—Free.

Public Gardens, a beautifully picturesque retreat and of great interest.

The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf.

General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's throw.

Ladies Club and Library, Shelley St.

Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens.

St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above the Parade Ground.

Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington Street.

Union Church, Elgin Street.

St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point.

St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden Road, near Kennedy Road.

Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East.

Sailors' Home, West Point.

E. R. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co., Marine House, Queen's Road.

Masonic Hall, Zetland Street.

Victoria Recreation Club—Bath-house and Boat-house, &c.—Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City Hall.

The Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments, to the eastward, and cover a large area.

Stores, Books, &c.

American and English Stores, Books, and specially selected Figures.—MACRAE, FRICKER & CO.

Chair and Boat Hire.

ORGANISED TARIFFS OF FARES FOR CHAIRS, CHAIR DRIVERS, AND BOATS, IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG.

Chair and Ordinary Pullaway Boats.
Half hour, 10 cts. Hour, 20 cts.
Three hours, 50 cts. Six hours, 70 cts.
Day (from 6 to 9), One Dollar.

TO VICTORIA PEAK.
Single Trip.
Four Coolies, \$1.00
Three Coolies, 0.75
Two Coolies, 0.50

Return (direct or by Pak-foi-fun).
Four Coolies, \$1.50
Three Coolies, 1.20
Two Coolies, 1.00

TO VICTORIA GAP (TO LEVEL OF UNDEVELOPED SEAT).
Single Trip.
Four Coolies, 80.00
Three Coolies, 60.00
Two Coolies, 40.00

Return (direct or by Pak-foi-fun).
Four Coolies, \$1.00
Three Coolies, 0.75
Two Coolies, 0.50

The Return Fare embraces a trip of not more than three hours.

For every hour or part of an hour above three hours, each Coolie will be entitled to an additional payment of 5 cents.

Day Trip (Peak), \$0.75 each Coolie.
(12 hours), Gap, \$0.10 each Coolie.

Licensed Bearers (each).
Hour, 10 cts.
Half day, 35 cts.
Day, 50 cts.

BOAT AND COOLIE HIRE.
BOATS.
1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900 piculs, per Day, \$3.00
1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900 piculs, per Load, 2.00
2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 piculs, per Day, 2.50
2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 piculs, per Load, 1.75
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kau Boat of 300 piculs, per Day, 1.50
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kau Boat of 300 piculs, per Load, 1.00
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kau Boat of 300 piculs, Half Day, 60

Sampans.
or Pullaway Boats, per Day, \$1.00
One Hour, 20
Half an Hour, 10

After 6 p.m., 10 cents extra.

Nothing in this Scale prevents private agreements.

STREET COOLIES.

Scale of Hire for Street Coolies.
One Day, 35 cents.
Half Day, 20
Three Hours, 12
One Hour, 5
Half Hour, 3

Nothing in the above Scale to affect private agreements.

FOR SALE.

ABOUT 2,000 lbs. MILLER & RICHARD'S Extra-Long Metal BOURGEOIS TYPE, No. 13, (somewhat worn but in fairly good condition).

Apply to
OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.
Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

MAY 16, 1882.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Reserve.	Working Account.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quotations.	Cash.
BANKS.								
HK. and Shanghai Bank.	40,000	\$125	\$125	\$2,100,000	\$3,039.45	40	*115 1/2 = 8268 1/2	[p. sh.]
INSURANCE.								
Nth. China Ins.	1,000 TL	2,000 TL	600 TL	252,000 TL	603,796.00	TL 75	TL 122 1/2 ex div	
Yangtze Ins.	1,200 TL	360 TL	350 TL	500,488 TL	18,447.00	18 3/4	TL 370 p. sh.	
Union Ins. Soc.	500 \$	2,500 \$	500 \$	417,918 \$	437,038.58	\$152.00	\$107 1/2	
China Traders' Insurance.	600 \$	1000 \$	500 \$	475,000 \$	91,928.49	20 1/2	\$162 1/2	
Gas Ins. Office.	10,000 \$	250 \$	50 \$	100,378 \$	077.42	6 1/2	\$220 nom.	
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500 \$	1,000 \$	200 \$	823,842 \$	203,403.72	\$75	\$92 1/2	
H.K. Fire Ins.	2,000 \$	1,000 \$	200 \$	493,632 \$	145,055.91	18 1/2	\$200	
China Fire Ins.	4,000 \$	500 \$	100 \$					
STEAM COMPANIES.								
H.K. C. and M. Steamship.	8,000 \$	100 \$	75 \$	135,000 \$	18,908.00	5 1/2	*\$100	
MISCELLANEOUS.								
H.K. & Whampoa Dock.	10,000 \$	125 \$	125 \$	\$147,563 1/2 \$	3,180.53	4 1/2	*50 % prem. = (\$187 1/2 p. sh.)	
H.K. & China Gas Co.	5,000 \$	10 1/2 \$	10 1/2 \$	7,480		\$21	*\$102 1/2	
H.K. Hotel.	2,000 \$	100 \$	100 \$			\$10	\$157	
China Sugar Co.	6,000 \$	100 \$		5,324.71	\$10	\$10	\$131	
H.K. Ice Co.	1,250 \$	100 \$	100 \$	1,880.51	\$10	\$10	\$80	
H.K. Bakery.	500 \$	50 \$	50 \$	150.31			\$113	
Luzon Sugar Co.	7,000 \$	100 \$	100 \$					
DOCKS.								
Chi. Imp.	1874	6,276 \$	100 all			June 30 Dec 31		
"	1877	10,040 \$	100 all			Feb. 28 Ag. 31		
"	1878	3,899 TL	500 all			April & Oct.		
"	1881	8,565 TL	500 all			June 16 Dec 10		
Sugar Docks.	1880	600 \$	500 all			June & Dec.		

* For half-year ending 31st Dec. 1881.—† Report issued in October, above 1st interim Bonus and Dividend for 1881.—‡ To 30th April, 1881.—§ For year 1881.—|| For year 1880.

EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

(Revised January 1st, 1882.)

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are for Letters per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, trolly, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except loose leaf Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be put at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 5 cents.

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed these dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 2 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, all foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritania, all N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Brazil, Peru, Chili, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Lohani, Hawaii, with all Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

Countries not in the Union.—The chief countries not in the Union are the Australasian Group, and S. Africa.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route.—
Letters, 10 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards, 3 cents each.
Registration, 10 cents.
Newspapers, 2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and Comm. Papers, 2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, and Fiji, via Torres Straits, Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2; Via Gale, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2.

Natal, the Cape, St. Helena, Ascension, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 5; Books and Patterns, 5.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates.
For Hongkong, Canton, and Macao, 10 cents per 1 oz.
For Shanghai, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Yokohama, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Kobe, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Osaka, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Manila, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Cebu, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Batavia, 15 cents per 1 oz.
For Singapore, 15 cents per 1 oz.

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CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR., Agent.
Hongkong, May 10, 1882. my31

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h, near the Kowloon shore k, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Amoy	h	Herrmann	Brit.	str.	814	May	4 Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	K'loon Dock
Arratoon Apar	h	Macfarlane	Brit.	str.	1392	May	6 David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Straits and Calcutta	18th, 3 p.m.
Ashington	h	Alonso	Brit.	str.	809	May	9 Siemssen & Co.	Swatow & Bangkok	To-day
Asia	h	Dierup	Dan.	str.	880	May	9 Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	
Atlanta	h	Pfaff	Ger.	str.	868	May	11 Kang Onn	Chiofoo & N'chwang	To-morrow
Blackhills	h	Granger	Brit.	str.	723	May	13 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	Ab'deen Dock
Canopus	h	Neib	Brit.	str.	1818	April	6 Russell & Co.	Victoria (B. C.)	
Cheng Hoek Kian	h	Neib	Brit.	str.	906	May	14 Bun Hin Chan	Swatow and Amoy	To-day
City of Tokio	h	Maury	Amer.	str.	5070	May	6 P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'wama & San Francisco	20th inst.
Comquest	h	Rowin	Brit.	str.	318	Sept.	28 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Manila	
Crusader	h	Rowin	Brit.	str.	640	May	11 Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	Sydney, &c.	22nd inst.
Douglas	h	Ashton	Brit.	str.	822	May	41 Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Coast Ports	To-morrow
Emmy	h	Ortuzar	Span.	str.	222	April	28 Remedios & Co.	Manila	
Fame	h	Spontani	Brit.	str.	117		11 K'wok Achong & Sons	Shanghai	Tug Flying
Genoa	h	Abbot	Ger.	str.	1115	May	14 Siemssen & Co.	Swatow, &c.	To-morrow
Tokien	h	McKenzie	Brit.	str.	900	May	16 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	
Fooksang	h	Anderson	Brit.	str.	1375	May	16 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Glennlyon	h	Geddy	Brit.	str.	1375	May	16 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Glennorchy	h	Quarty	Brit.	str.	1735	May	13 Siemssen & Co.		
Hankow	h	Symington	Brit.	str.	2332	May	14 Kwok Achong & Sons		
Hongkong	h	Marquez	Span.	str.	67	April	14 Kwok Achong & Sons	Hankow	
Joloano	h	Marquez	Span.	str.	67	April	14 Kwok Achong & Sons		
George Junn	h	Garro	Span.	str.	453	Dec.	19 R. Morente	Manila	Co'stan Dock
Li Tai Juan	h	Li Tai Juan	Ammam.	str.	1000	July	7 Captain		
Moray	h	Tutton	Brit.	str.	2185	May	6 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Straits and Calcutta	18th, 3 p.m.
Odin	h	Sorensen	Norw.	str.	939	May	11 Siemssen & Co.	K'loon Dock	
Osaka	h	Osaka	Foh.	str.	370	May	16 Messageries Maritimes	Marselles, &c.	Mails, 18th
Paladin	h	Aubin	Brit.	str.	432	May	11 Melchers & Co.	Saigon	To-day
Penedo	h	Konderdine	Brit.	str.	432	May	11 Melchers & Co.	Saigon	19th, daylight
Ping-on	h	McCaslin	Brit.	str.	574	May	14 Russell & Co.	Hoihow, &c.	
Plainmuller	h	McKenzie	Brit.	str.	1195	May	18 Bun Hin Chan	Singapore & Penang	To-day
Prinz Wilhelm	h	Crossen	Ger.	str.	861	May	18 Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	
Rome	h	Laurir	Span.	str.	272	May	13 Melchers & Co.	Manila	Co'stan Dock
Sea Gull	h	Hayward	Amer.	str.	48	Nov.	24 China Traders' Insurance Co.		
Siam	h	Kerria	Brit.	str.	1271	May	14 Siemssen & Co.		
Siam Tip	h	Yuen Man Fu	Ammam.	str.	93	July	7 Captain		
Sourig	h	Lopez	Span.	str.	240	May	8 Remedios & Co.	Manila	
Sumatra	h	Fairlough	Brit.	str.	1406	May	10 P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	10th inst.
Tanais	h	Deurjon	Foh.	str.	1760	May	13 Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	Mails
Thales	h	Pocock	Brit.	str.	820	May	13 Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Coast Ports	K'loon Dock
Vortigern	h	Brown	Brit.	str.	876	May	4 Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	Australian Ports	
Wm. MacKinnon	h	Orville	Dutch	str.	701	May	13 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Swatow	To-morrow
Yatsuha	h	Keanett	Brit.	str.	285	April	14 Kwok Achong & Sons	Amoy	
Sailing Vessels									
Anna	h	Jesson	Ger.	bge.	447	May	15 Wiedler & Co.		
Bonita	h	Steir	Ger. 3m. sc.	341	May	2 Arnold, Karberg & Co.	New York	Ab'deen Dock	
Braunbelye	h	Pickard	Brit. sh.	1497	May	31 Russell & Co.	San Francisco		
Bylgia	h	Andersen	Ger. bge.	333	April	28 Captain	Port Elizabeth		
Carl Gerhard	h	Suhr	Ger. bge.	331	May	3 Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Bangkok		
Cenrose Howard	h	Powers	Ger. bge.	630	Mar.	29 Russell & Co.	New York		
Chiofoo	h	Taylor	Brit. sh.	685	April	17 Arnold, Karberg & Co.	London		
Courrier	h	Schmieglow	Siam. bge.	362	May	12 Kien Tye Loon			
Emma	h	Michelsen	Ger. 3m. sc.	220	May	6 Eduard Schellhass & Co.			
Fano	h	Mortensen	Dan. bge.	327	April	27 Siemssen & Co.	Newchwang		
Frances & Amanda	h	Hildebrand	Ger. bge.	267	May	3 Wiedler & Co.	Kamput		
Friedrich	h	Spiesen	Ger. bge.	695	May	9 Siemssen & Co.			
Glennry	h	Thomson	Brit. 3m. sc.	283	April	18 Wiedler & Co.	Chiofoo		
Hecht	h	Thomson	Ger. 3m. sc.	358	May	9 Siemssen & Co.	Iloilo		
Hermann	h	Pena	Ger. bge.	453	Apr.	29 Chines			
Hermann	h	Trausen	Ger. bge.	444	April	30 Wiedler & Co.			
Hermine	h	Longren	Swed. bge.	289	April	27 Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Touron		
Hermine	h	Meyer	Ger. bge.	350	May	1 Eduard Schellhass & Co.			
Hetsupur	h	Bunjo	Brit. bge.	523	May	13 A. G. Morris			
Hydra	h	Binge	Ger. bge.	736	May	4 Melchers & Co.	Philippines		
Jas. A. Bond	h	Kent	Amer. bge.	670	Feb.	26 Arnold, Karberg & Co.	New York	Ab'deen Dock	
Kahn Heinrich	h	Mallett	Amer. sh.	1250	April	18 Rozario & Co.	San Francisco		
Kak Davenport	h	Larsen	Norw. bge.	416	May	6 Siemssen & Co.	Portland (Oregon)		
Kivia	h	Leonard	Foh. bge.	439	May	4 Carlowitz & Co.	Singapore	Cleared	
Martha	h	McPherson	Brit. bge.	853	April	2 Rozario & Co.	Victoria (V. I.)		
Minerva	h	Ugarte	Span. bge.	213	May	5 Chines	Tientsin		
Minerva	h	Duhau	Ger. bge.	318	May	6 Melchers & Co.			
Rock Terrace	h	T. Clayton	Amer. bging.	42	Feb.	19 Captain	Manila		
Rock Terrace	h	Hutchinson	Brit. sh.	1769	April	5 Russell & Co.	San Francisco		
Schwan	h	Schroder	Ger. bge.	276	May	9 Siemssen & Co.			
Spartan	h	Vincent	Amer. sch.	85	April	23 W. H. Ray			
Tartar	h	Bunje	Ger. bge.	256	Mar.	7 Melchers & Co.			
Xenia	h	Reynolds	Amer. bge.	1174	May	12 Captain			
WHAMPOA									
Sun Francisco	h	Oltmann	Ger. sch.	251	May	16 Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin		
CHIAFOO									
Chinking	h	Orr	Brit. str.	799	May	16 Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai		
Hoihow	h	Shaw	Brit. str.	695	May	13 Butterfield & Swire			